The Victoria Daily Times.

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NEW GOODS.

150 doz Merino Socks at 25c a pair, worth 40c
100 „ Heavy All-Wool Socks, 25c per pair
These goods are disappearing very fast.
Come at once if you want a bargain.
These goods cannot be replaced.

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JOHNSON STREET, VICTORIA.

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THE LEADING TAILORS,
GOVERNMENT STREET.

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WANTED—TWO FARM HANDS.—One to milk, plough and manage horses; one capable of doing general farm work and managing young horses; both unmarried. Apply on the premises, between the hours of 8 and 10, to F. B. PEMBERTON, Gonzales Farm. sept14 1w

TO AGENTS THE CANADIAN NEEDLE Co., 46 and 48 Front Street East, Toronto got up the Neatest, most Complete and Best Selling Needle Package in America. Send 25 Cents for Sample of New No. 8, Assorted in Sheet Plush. Particulars sent when stamps are enclosed for reply.

Don't worry if you are out of employment. Write to Mr. KOWDY, 41 Wellington Street East, Toronto. Send stamps for reply.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—One Caddy of T. & B. Ping Tobacco. The owner on proving property and paying expenses of this advertisement can have same by applying to George Mann, Pioneer store, corner of Store and Discovery streets. sept19 6t

TO RENT.

TO LET.—Store and Dwelling combined, also a Cottage of six rooms, on Humboldt street, near Government. Enquire of W. J. Pendray & Co. sept1

TO RENT.—A Furnished Bedroom, or Sitting room and Parlor, very conveniently situated. Apply at this office. sept9

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FOR SALE.—Fourteen Acres of land, four miles from the city, part under fence and cultivation, with new five-roomed Cottage, Barn and Outbuildings complete. Never failing spring 50 feet from the house. Easy terms. Address T. R. ELLA, Drawer 35, Victoria. sept9

FOR SALE OR LEASE.—A desirable Farm of Three Hundred Acres, eight miles from town. Lake frontage. Particulars at J. J. Austin's, Bastion street. july15 tf

FOR SALE.—An established Hotel business with a paying trade, centrally situated within a short distance of the Post Office. A good investment for a good man with CASH. Address, for particulars, "HOTEL," TIMES office.

TEAS, WINES AND SPIRITS.

JOHN BOYD,

Has just landed, ex "Coldstream," the Finest Scotch Whiskies ever imported from Scotland. Connoisseurs whose health requires the most perfect qualities of Whisky will do well to give them a trial. In stock, Diantze Spruce Beer and Teas of a very superior quality.
P. O. 433 YATES STREET. febtmly

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple corner Douglas and Fisguard streets.
mar2 12m R. B. ESNOUF, Secretary.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
ROBERT MITCHELL, Secretary.

PACIFIC COAST S. S. COMP'Y
DISPATCH A STEAMER
Every Saturday for San Francisco
Leaving the outer wharf at One o'clock p.m.

Sept. 24, - Geo. W. Elder.

Shippers must notify us when room for freight is required.
No Freight received after 5 p. m. Friday, 23d Sept.
WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.
Wharf Street, Victoria. sept19

From London to Victoria, B. C.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL AT once place a
First Class Sailing Ship
On berth in London for Victoria, B. C.
1st September loading. Having quick despatch, bulk of cargo being engaged. Shippers ORDERS BY MAIL will be in time for this vessel, or by cable through the undersigned, or to MESSRS. H. J. GARDINER & CO. Gresham Buildings, London, E. C.
ROBERT WARD & CO.,
Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C.
August 24, 1887. aug30

Just Arrived.
A CONSIGNMENT OF FINE AMERICAN
Buggies and Phaetons,
By the Celebrated Makers,
Engor & Co. of Cincinnati.
For Sale at Reasonable Prices.
G. BYRNES.
and tf Fort and Langley Streets.

G. BYRNES,
AUCTIONEER.
AUCTION.
Friday, Sept. 23, 11 a. m.
FURNITURE.

I have been instructed by M. CONOLLY, Esq., of Esquimalt, to sell by Auction all his well-kept Household Furniture, which will be sold on the premises lately occupied by Mrs. Swanlek, on Broad street, near Fort, consisting of Parlor Ornaments, Plaques, Walnut Centre Table, Pictures, Chandelier, Lace Curtains, Carpets, Ex Dining Table, Walnut M T Sideboard, Silverware, Glassware, Cutlery, Chairs, Sofa, Table Cloths, Napkins, Dinner Service, Parlor Stove and Piping, Walnut M. T. Bedroom Suits, Mattresses, Toilet Sets, Bedding, Double and Single Bedroom Suites, Rugs, Mats, Bedroom Carpets.
No. 8 Eureka Range, Crockery, Tinware and Kitchen Furniture, etc., etc.
All the above Furniture is in First-Class Order.
GEO. BYRNES, Auctioneer.
sep20

THE ATTENTION OF
TOURISTS AND VISITORS
As well as that of the general public, is directed to the
VICTORIA
Transfer Co.'s
LIVERY and HACK RATES.

This Company have the Largest and Finest Stables and the Best Stock of Horses and Vehicles in the City.

A Special Reduction in Livery charges is made for those desiring a short drive after Six in the evening.

☞ **Hacks supplied any hour of the day or night at reasonable and uniform rates.**
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THE LONDON
Guarantee & Accident
COMPANY,
OF LONDON, ENGLAND.
Chief Office—10 Moorgate St., London, E. C.
The Bonds of this Company are accepted as security by the Home, Canadian, Australian, and Indian Governments.

Accident Insurance on all Approved Plans.
$4 per annum will secure to any one in the "Select Class" $1000 in case of death by Accident, or $5 Weekly Compensation if injured. Premiums for other occupations exceptionally low.
H. E. CROASDAILE,
General Agent for British Columbia.
Office—Government street, next door to Bank of British Columbia. sep1

NORTHERN
ASSURANCE COMP'Y,
LONDON, ENGLAND.
Subscribed Capital, $15,000,000
Risks Against Fire
Accepted at Current Rates of Premium by
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
Agents for British Columbia.
September, 1887. sep1 1m

M. A. AARONSON.
ESTAB'D 1877
LICENSED PAWNBROKER.
Money advanced to any amount on Diamonds, Watches, Trinkets, Trunks and Contents, or on any Approved Security.
Ladies and Gentlemen's Cast-off Clothing purchased. Parties waited on at their residences. INDIAN CURIOS in rare and endless variety. Note the address—**Johnson Street, between Broad and Government.** 25

VICTORIA GAS COMPANY, L'd.
Notice of Reduction in Price.

FROM date of 1st September the price of Gas will be reduced from $3 to $2 per thousand feet. All discounts will be discontinued. Service pipes within forty feet from the centre of the street will be laid down free of charge.
By order of the Directors,
C. W. R. THOMSON,
aug26 1m Secretary.

PROFESSOR J. F. MEYER,
Teacher of Piano and Organ.
—ALSO—
VOCAL MUSIC.
Graduate of Heidelberg University.
ORDERS LEFT AT WAITT & CO.'S sept5 tf

WE HAVE THE
BARGAINS
This Month,
And Don't You Forget to Memorize It!

376 yards Worsted Dress Goods, 12½ cents per yard.
947 yards Ladies' Cloth Dress Goods at 20 cents per yard.
One lot of Prints, dark colors, 16 yards for $1.
One lot of Pretty Lawns, 16 yards for $1.
72 pcs All-Linen Rooler Crash, 12 yards for $1.
Wide Canton Flannel, 12 yds for $1.
Wide Grey Flannel, 20 cents per yd.
Wide Grey Flannel, All-Wool, 25 cents per yard.
38-inch Linen Table Damask, 20c.
A Big Lot of Honey Comb Towels from 75c per dozen.
Large Bed Comforters from 75c.
One case Children's Woollen Hose from 15c per pair.
51 pieces of Embroideries from 4c per yard.
63 dozen Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, 50c per dozen.
Ladies' Black Jerseys, braided, from $1.10.
42 boxes of Fancy Dress Buttons, 10c per dozen.
Gentlemen's White Shirts, Good Quality, from 60c.
Gentlemen's All-Wool Sox, full finish, 25c.

261 SAMPLES
OF MENS ALL-WOOL
Under & Overshirts
From 75 cents.
A few pieces left of those pretty Jersey Flannels at 6 yards for $1

Argyle House
CLARENCE BLOCK,
DOUGLAS STREET.
sep9 D & W 1m

NEW ERA
In House Building.

MONEY SAVED, SAFETY AND COMFORT insured, by using
Burris' Patent Building Lumber and Lath,
Applicable to Floors, Walls, Roofs and all manner of exterior finish, plain or ornamental. When coated with cement has the appearance of stone; it is fire, water, damp and sound proof; cool in summer and warm in winter; has no voids to harbor vermin as in other buildings; cheaper than the common wooden structures and in every way superior. Samples and full particulars on application to
S. C. BURRIS, Architect,
Corner Government & Broughton Streets,
sep2 Victoria, B. C.

FOR RENTAL.

One, two or three Rooms, with conveniences attached, suitable for either Offices or Apartments. Situated corner Bastion and Langley Streets, commanding a view of the harbor. Can be had separately or en suite. Apply to THEODORE DAVIE.
sep3

REMOVAL.
S. C. BURRIS, ARCHITECT,
Has Removed to Corner Government and Broughton Streets, Rooms, 7, Saunders Hemley Building. sep9

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

The Latest London Scandal---Financial Crisis in N. Y.

A Monster Ironclad---The Fishery Commission, &c., &c.

LONDON, Sept. 21—Last night's *Pall Mall Gazette* revealed in detail one of the latest society scandals. It boldly states, in an accusation against Colonel Hughes Hallett, M. P., that he has ruined his step daughter, a child of the late Lord Justice Selwyn. After the death of his first wife, Lady Selwyn and Hughes Hallett were married. She is the daughter of Col. Schaumburg, of Philadelphia. Hughes Hallett is also accused of having designs on Miss Selwyn's fortune. The accused has been a prominent figure in high society, and is an exceedingly promising and capable member. His career has not been without romance, for he was once offered the Crown of Greece. He was known as the thinnest man in the House of Commons.

THE GIFTS EXHIBITION.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The exhibition of the Queen's jubilee gifts is drawing immense crowds. There were 5,000 visitors on the first day, 6,000 on the second, and 10,000 on the third.

CHOLERA IN ITALY.

ROME, Sept. 21.—The Prefect of Messina has succumbed to Cholera. There were 114 new cases and 50 deaths in Messina during the past twenty-four hours. Cholera is reported at Trapani and Eggio Di Calabria.

LARGEST IRONCLAD.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The Trafalgar, the largest ironclad ever constructed was successfully launched to-day at Portsmouth. The vessel is of 11,940 tons burden and 12,000 horse power. She is to carry 12 guns, 4 of 67 tons and 8 of 40 tons. Her side armor is 20 inches thick.

AMERICAN NEWS.

THE FINANCIAL CRISIS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The *World* this morning publishes interviews with the presidents of nine of the leading trust companies and fourteen banks in the city about the money crisis. The concensus of their opinions is that Congress is responsible for the condition of affairs, for failing to provide for the reduction of taxation, and thus permitting the surplus to be accumulated every year, which is locked up in the Treasury and made useless for the needs of business. Some think that the Secretary of the Treasury should relieve the pressure by a liberal purchase of bonds, but nearly all think Congress at its next session should take prompt steps to remedy the evil by reducing taxation. It is generally conceded that the merchants are suffering for money even more than the Wall street speculators, but that the latter are very uneasy over the situation is made evident by the continued depression in the Stock Exchange. H. Gallig, manager of the American Exchange in Europe, said briefly that unless Mr. Cleveland does something, and that quickly, to relieve the pressure, he will make a fatal mistake, disastrous alike to the country and to himself.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The offerings of bonds to-day to the Government aggregated $1,370,300, at prices ranging from $107.90 to $110. The acting Secretary, Thompson, this afternoon accepted $1,065,300 of the bonds offered.

A TERRIBLE CRIME.

LOUISA, Ky., Sept. 20.—Four children of A. J. Thompson, ranging from 7 to 12 years, started to school and when about a mile from their home and near the school house, and while passing a clump of bushes, a volley of shots saluted them. Three of them fell almost instantly; the fourth managed to escape, but not before he had recognized in the murderer his cousin, Wm. Thompson. The brother who escaped fled to the school house, where he told his story. The school teacher started for the bloody spot while the boy went by another route to his home. When the parents of the children reached the place of the shooting they found the teacher and one child dead and the other two desperately wounded. The murderer has not yet been captured, but will be lynched if caught.

PURCHASE OF BONDS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Bids for the government four and half bonds are to be opened to-day by Secretary Fairfield, and his action in the matter and the amount he will purchase are anxiously awaited. It will possibly be an indication of how he will act in relieving the public mind of the fear of an actual stringency in the money market, by letting out some of the hoarded surplus in the vaults of the United States treasury, which action would tend to quiet the alarm now prevalent. It is asserted that unless this is done, money for actual business needs cannot be obtained and the country will be forced to suffer for funds while millions are locked up at Washington.

DRY DOCK FOR SAN PEDRO.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 20.—A movement is on foot to build a dry dock at San Pedro. A number of San Francisco capitalists have formed a company to push the scheme. The dock is to be 1200 feet long and will cost $300,000. A line of first-class tugs is also to be established and warehouses and wharves are to be built.

THE THISTLE'S BOTTOM.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The Scotch cutter Thistle was docked this morning, and from what could be seen of her bottom there appeared to be a general resemblance to the Volunteer, except in the rounding of the sides. In the Thistle this does not extend so low or so far aft as in the large white sloop. Then, too, all talk of her model being so different from the standard cutter is all nonsense. She is a typical cutter.

AN ANARCHIST CIRCULAR.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—A circular of deep red anarchistic tendencies is being circulated in Chicago. It is headed "To the workingmen of the United States of North America," and denounces the action of the Supreme Court in upholding the decision of the lower court in the anarchists case. It refers to Capt. Bonfield as "The notorious police bandit" and vilifies Judge Gary without stint. The circular signed is "Federation of Trades Unions," and was printed in New York. Police Capt. O'Donnell telephoned this afternoon all over the city to have any and all persons found distributing these circulars arrested.

ANOTHER CONVERT.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 21.—A sensation has been caused in political circles by the appearance of the Rev. J. A. Copeland at the United Labor Club meeting last night. He there avowed himself for the George movement. Copeland has been one of the leading prohibitionists of this state and was a candidate of that party for Congress.

COTTON GOODS TO CHINA.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—A commercial bulletin this afternoon says: Large amounts of cotton goods are now being shipped to China from Boston by the Boston and Lowell Railroad to Newport, Vt., by the Canadian Pacific Railway from Newport to Vancouver, B. C., and thence by steamer to Yokohama and Hongkong. The time required for shipment from Boston to Shanghai is about thirty days. The time from England to the same port is over fifty days.

CANADIAN NEWS.

THE FISHERY COMMISSION.

OTTAWA, Ont. 2.—Sept. 21.—With reference to the Fishery Commission, all those in any way identified with the administration of public affairs at the Dominion capital are of the opinion that the Commission, which is shortly to sit at Washington, will be productive of no results. Referring to this subject to-day, the chief organ of the Dominion Government, edited by a son of the Minister of the Interior, and which reflects the views and opinions of the government, says: "The American Senate is not apt to reverse its resolution of last winter, and will, there is too much reason to fear, reject any recommendation by the Commission looking to a fair and equitable settlement of the fishery dispute."

THE BELLEROPHON ACCIDENT.

HALIFAX, Sept. 21.—It is learned this morning that 40 men were injured by the explosion of rockets on the British man-of-war Bellerophon at Quebec, instead of three as mentioned in despatches of yesterday. Some of the men have the fleshy part of their thighs and legs blown off, and others have the muscles of their arms torn.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

The News by Wire and Mail in Brief Paragraphs.

The French Radicals will introduce a bill to expell the families of the pretenders.

Official statistics of the damage done by the floods in Egypt show that property was damaged to the extent of £500,000 and 800 families were made destitute.

A tunnel is to be constructed through the Simplon mountain between Switzerland and Italy, each country contributing 15,000,000 francs.

Wm. Wemp, of Chatham, has been appointed colonization agent of the Canadian Pacific for Ontario, with headquarter in that city.

John Morris, of Bishop's Mills, Ont., who murdered farmer Dool after a disagreement over a yoke of oxen, has been arrested.

Wm. Nelson, the senior member of the great publishing house at Edinburgh, Scotland, aged 72 years, is dead. His sister, Mrs. Geo. Brown, is at present in Europe with her family.

Mrs. Birrell, a daughter of Sheriff McKellar, of Wentworth, was found lying unconscious alongside the railway track near Lancaster, Ont. She is seriously injured.

A rebellion, which proved of short duration, broke out in Manipore, India, recently. The rebels penetrated into the Maharajah palace, and were repulsed with a loss of nine killed and many wounded.

The experiments with Lieut. E. L. Zalinsky's dynamite gun which were witnessed by Secretary Whitney and a number of foreign officers on the 20th, were very successful. The shells struck the mark and did fearful execution.

The Pacific Coast Steamship Company have contracted with the Penn Iron Works, Philadelphia, for the construction of a steel vessel of a thousand tons for service on this coast. She will cost between $175,000 and $200,000.

A. W. Whitehouse shot and killed Geo. H. Gordon while hunting, mistaking him in the darkness for a mountain lion. They were young Englishmen and classmates at Oxford College, visiting at the Twin Mountain ranche of Howard Windham, near Laramie. The body of Gordon, who was 22 years old, will be taken to England for burial.

"MAC'S" LETTER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I was very much amused with Mr. McClimont's letter in last night's issue of THE TIMES. It was a grand display of fire works. I sympathize with poor Mc.; he is getting mixed. "Catholic" has knocked him higher than a kite and yet he cannot see it. I would advise Mc. (I beg pardon, Mr. McClimont) to attend to the tin pots and leave theology alone. I would suggest to "Catholic" to discontinue irritating the poor fellow. Mc. was occupied the whole of Sunday looking up authorities and writing his letter; he also spoilt his best pants by upsetting the ink pot. If the correspondence is to continue it will be necessary to give Mc. a small dose of brimstone and treacle. BIENNERHASSETT.

CHESTNUTS, MUGWUMPS, ETC.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I have noticed some of the newspaper columns of our city are occasionally disfigured with introduction of such slang phrases as the above. What, it may be asked, do "Chestnuts," or "Mugwumps" mean? For my part, I neither know, nor care to find out, as I am sure the game would not be worth the candle. Now, any one found guilty of altering spurious coin is held punishable, and it seems to me any one found guilty of altering such counterfeit representations of our language as "Chestnuts" or such disgusting appellations as "mugwumps," should also be held punishable as debasing the current literature of the realm. If this corruption of our language is permitted to be indulged in without censure, we may have some future Webster putting "chestnuts" and "mugwumps" in his dictionary, and public school teachers engaged in the delectable task of explaining what "Chestnuts" and "mugwumps" mean. It is sufficiently offensive to hear such slang in our streets, but one hopes and is entitled to expect better things in the newspaper press, to which we are supposed to look for instruction and information.
W. K. B.

Good Investments.

We have several FIRST CLASS BUSINESS for sale, and those wishing to invest in Victoria should first call on us. PICKERING & Co., Fort street, box 676.

FEARFULLY SUDDEN DEATH.

Mr Robert Lipsett Drops Dead in the Victoria Post Office.

One of the most startling deaths which has shocked this community was the death of ex-Councillor Robert Lipsett in the lobby of the post office shortly after 7 o'clock on Tuesday night, in the presence of a number of his old acquaintances and citizens. In the early part of the day Mr. Lipsett was in his usual good spirits, discussing real estate and business matters generally with many who stepped into his office, as was their wont in passing to and fro through Trounce Alley. Shortly after 2 o'clock, in company with Mr. George Reilly, accountant for Messrs. Larkin, Connolly & Co., he went out towards Cadboro Bay to indulge in a few hours sport, which was the deceased's favorite pastime, he being an inveterate nimrod and a keen disciple of Izaac Walton. About half-past 6 they returned, having met with fair success. Mr. Lipsett to Mr. John Kurtz and others was exhibiting part of his trophy, which was a beautiful pheasant. In front of the post office he complimented Mr. Gideon Robertson, with whom he was very familiar, of being over-heated and feeling uncomfortably warm, at the same time wiping the prespiration off his face and head with a pocket handkerchief. He passed in towards the postage wicket of the office carrying his rifle in the right hand and the pheasant in the left. On reaching his box he placed the rifle against the boxes and laid the pheasant down on the step in front of these. He opened his box and in shutting it was observed to stagger and fall as in a fit. Mr. Callum was standing beside him, but before he could turn round the heavy inanimate form of the expiring man had reached the floor. Mr. Sam Reid who was not many feet away at once came to his assistance, undoing his collar and neck tie and opening his vest and shirt. He raised his head, whilst Mr. Lombard helped to place him in an easier position. The latter ran for Frank Campbell and water. Mr. Campbell lost no time in reaching the side of his old friend with water; but all was of no avail. His hands were raised and rubbed, water poured on his face, but beyond a slight tremor and a few heavily drawn moans and a gasp or two there was nothing to indicate of a dissolving of the silver cord which had a few seconds before bound body and soul together. Medical aid was telephoned for in every direction. Dr. Milne was the first to reach the scene. He at once confirmed the conjecture of Messrs. Campbell and Lombard that the vital spark had fled—Robert Lipsett was a dead man. The remains were gently and tenderly raised and carried to a hack whence they were conveyed to the house of Mrs. Keays, Blanchard street, near Fisgard, where he had roomed for many years. Mr. Storey, undertaker, was summoned to lay the remains out and place them in a coffin to await the decision of his brother in San Jose, Cal., who had been appraised of the death by Mr. Frank Campbell.

The news of Mr. Lipsett's very sudden death spread like wild fire throughout the city, and was the topic of conversation last night and this morning. Deceased was one of the best known men in the province. He came here from California in the early days of 1858. Then he settled on the Mainland, where for some years he acted as revenue officer, under the government of the colony, and chief constable for Judge (now Sir Matthew) Begbie's Court at Derby, now Langley. After that he was engaged in many avocations in various parts of the province, in all of which he is reputed to have been financially successful. He was a self-made man in every particular. Leaving Ireland in his teens he hewed out his own fortune. He was a prudent, careful man, possessed of an energetic, enterprising disposition, evincing at all times a desire to forward the best interests of his adopted country. In this city, in company with his brother and others he held a considerable interest. His investments extended to other parts of the province. Some three years since Mr. Joe Haywood and the subject of this memoir presented the city with the beautiful fountain which to the disgrace of our City Fathers stands idle, at the junction of Douglas and Government streets in the north end of the city. He expected death to overtake him suddenly, for some months since his medical adviser so informed him. It is understood that his worldy affairs were all arranged some time ago. In years he is said to have reached the neighborhood of 55. He was a member of several of our local benevolent societies, being a prominent member of Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., of which order he was a Past Noble Grand. Last year he occupied a seat at the Civic Council Board; but in presenting himself again this year he was defeated. He was a candidate in the opposition interest at the Provincial election of July, 1886. His friends are numerous, and to these, at a distance, his sudden end will be a surprise. Profound sorrow for his untimely death is universal in this city.

His brother Isaac telegraphed this morning from San Jose that he was leaving at once for this city and wished the remains to be kept until he arrived. It is feared he will not be able to reach Victoria until Monday afternoon, as there is no Sunday steamer on the Sound. He will be buried by the Odd Fellows, who will have charge of the funeral arrangements, due notice of which will be given.

MARINE.

The Calenita passed down to-day from Departure Bay, coal laden for San Diego.

The Alexander went up to Departure Bay to-day to tow the American ship Carleton, with coal for San Francisco, to sea.

The Titania has almost completed her cargo of salmon, and may sail on Saturday.

The Oban Bay, chartered to load wheat at Portland, will leave for that port in a day or two.

PROVINCIAL COURT.

[Before E. Johnson, Q. C., S. M.]

Supt. Roycraft asked for a further remand in the case of the Indian Quaslokum, charged with the murder of the Seabird's crew. The Superintendent stated that another Indian had been captured and the two prisoners would be tried together. The Indian was remanded for eight days.

The Place for Bargains.

J. Todd has just opened, in addition to his well assorted stock of Furniture, Carpets, Oil Cloth and Linoleum, a complete line of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, and Bar Glasses, the finest ever offered in the country, as remarkably low prices, having arrived before the advance in freight rates.

FROM THE NORTH.

The Fishing and Packing Business at an End for the Present.

From the *Columbian* we learn that Mr. John McNab, Inspector of Fisheries for the Northern Coast, has returned to that city, having completed his duties for the season. The $5 charge as a license fee was paid without any grumbling on the part of each boat employed in killing the salmon. The total pack of the Skeena is placed at 60,000 cases, a considerable increase over that of last year. Mr. McLellan was fixing up his cannery on the Nass river for next year's operations. The run on Rivers Inlet was a failure this year. The total pack has already been published. The Alert Bay pack was about 4500 cases, and made by nine Indians. The exodus of the Metlakahtla Indians under the guidance of Mr. Duncan created much uneasiness along the entire coast. Now that these Indians have become foreigners they have no right to fish in Columbian waters. It is believed that Mr. Duncan promised them immunity from any interference by the British authorities if they choose to fish in their old grounds. The waters at the head of Nass river they have always prized very highly. It was here they made such a harvest with the Oolachans. It is understood the law against foreign Indians fishing in Canadian waters will be strictly enforced hereafter, which, if so done, will have the effect of inducing many of the Indians to return again to their old home, as without the Oolachans they would lose their chief means of subsistence. An unusually large quantity of Oolachan oil was secured this season. The Indians were very successful in their hunting expeditions last winter; game of all kinds was very plentiful and more especially bear and deer. The Indians along the Nass and Skeena rivers complain bitterly at the government allowing the Alaska natives to participate in the Nass river fisheries; they come down in March, when the Oolachans commence running, and carry away great quantities of oil with them. The government will be asked to put a stop to any foreign Indians fishing in these waters for the future.

ON THE WING.

Movements of People We Know and have Read of.

Mr. S. S. Hyams returned to-day from Seattle.

Mrs. Luke Pither, of the Colonial, New Westminster, is in the city.

Mr. C. D. Rand, Vancouver, is in the city.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Beanlands have returned from the Mainland.

Mr. E. V. Bodwell, of Darie & Bodwell, barristers, was amongst the Mainland passengers last night.

Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q. C., Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, arrived from the Mainland last night.

W. H. Barneby, author of "Life and Labor in the Far, Far West," is visiting the Kootenay district.

Mr. Henry Norman, the well-known *Pall Mall Gazette* writer, will shortly visit Victoria on a tour round the world.

Mrs. W. A. Robertson reached the home of her brother-in-law, a few miles north of Hamilton, Ont., yesterday morning, having made the trip in less than six days over the Canadian Pacific.

Mr. James Collins, an old timer of Victoria, but now a resident of Portland, was amongst the passengers from the Sound to-day.

Couns. Harris and Coughlan were passengers on the Rainbow to-day from the mainland. Coun. Harris was loaded with game, and the envy of the many who observed him carrying his trophies home.

Mr. D. A. Boscowitz, who arrived from England last night, is a son of Mr. Joseph Boscowitz and a nephew of Mr. Alexander Phillips, soda water maker in this city. It is understood he will settle in business in Victoria.

At the Occidental: James Fairful, Toronto; James McKeiger, Winnipeg; T H Vigar, Vancouver; John Cousins, Nicola; Victor Coates, St John, N B; E Hamilton, England; R Cox, P E Island; J Evans, Esquimalt; Fred'k Waters, city; F Linnard, wife and child, Portland, Or.

Mr. J. H. Thain, of H. M. Railway Mail Service, is in the city. Joe makes the run from Vancouver to Calgary, occupying some 36 hours, during which time he has to take on and put off the mails at all stations en route.

Chapter of Accidents.

We regret to learn that Mr. W. H. Ladner, M. P. P., yesterday afternoon met with a very serious accident. He was standing on the landing bearing his name, when by some unaccountable means he fell into a scow which was lying alongside the wharf. In falling he struck heavily on his side, breaking three of his ribs. When picked up he was supposed to have been very seriously injured. Medical assistance was early in attendance. This (Wednesday) morning, although suffering severely, he was in good spirits and expressed the belief that in a few weeks he would be about again as usual. Coming at this particular juncture the accident is an unfortunate one, as Mr. Ladner takes a very deep interest in our Provincial exhibition. His presence, assistance and words of counsel will be greatly missed this year. His many friends will join in the wish that his recovery may be a speedy one.

Mr. McKee, residing near the Landing, who was so unfortunate as to break his leg last May, from the effects of which he had just about recovered, had his leg broken again yesterday afternoon in the same place. At latest accounts he was suffering from its effects, for his constitution was greatly run down by the previous accident. Medical assistance was summoned from New Westminster; the limb bandaged and the sufferer at last accounts was progressing as satisfactorily as it was possible under the circumstances.

Very Unfortunate.

We regret to learn that the frost of Tuesday morning was so severe in the Delta and valley of the Fraser as to seriously damage the late crops, especially the potatoes which it is feared has been totally destroyed. There was ice on the Fraser at Ladner's Landing and other points of the thickness of an eighth of an inch. This will be a serious loss to the farmers of the district.

From New York.

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Miner Injured.

NANIAMO, Sept. 21.—Thomas McKay, a miner in No. 1 shaft, V. C. Co., has just been brought up on a stretcher badly injured from a fall of rock.

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ADVERTISING THE PROVINCIAL.

Mr. Geo. W. Chadsey, Secretary to B. C. A. A., publishes a letter in the *Columbian* relative to the strictures of The Times and other journals as to the manner in which the forthcoming show has been advertised. From his letter we learn that 1500 pamphlets were printed containing the prize list. These, it is claimed, were circulated all over the province. Up to this date not a copy has reached this office from the Secretary or any of the officers of the Association. The Secretary states that on the 23rd ult. the directors were supplied with a few copies each, which consumed the first batch sent by the printer. Later on copies were mailed to parties whose advertisements appeared in the pamphlet, 300 having been sent to Victoria. There were 120 posters printed and sent through the province; but where, no one can tell. Not a solitary poster, so far as we can ascertain are to be seen posted on the fences, walls or bill boards of this city. The date at which the prize lists were issued was too late to allow intending exhibitors to make preparations. Similar prize lists in the east are issued early in the summer and forwarded to members instead of to advertisers who care but little as to whether they are distributed or not. However, experience, the best of all schools, will teach our agricultural friends how to manage these affairs in the future.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

The accounts which reach us of the progress of work on the Panama Canal, and the manner in which the undertaking generally is being prosecuted, do not leave a very favorable impression. The work is admittedly of a gigantic character, and may not be measured by ordinary standards; but it is nevertheless obvious that extraordinary incompetency has thus far characterized the management. Capt. Angus Kerr, a Nova Scotian, who was superintendent of dredging, has given to the press of Eastern Canada a graphic account of the manner in which contracts are farmed out and money wasted, which ought to shake the confidence of those who still believe in the ability of De Lesseps to link the two oceans at Panama. Mr. Kerr believes that enough money has already been spent upon the canal to have completed it, if a practical and responsible person had charge. The work is divided into fourteen divisions, over each of which there is what is called a 'Chief of Division.' He has the power, acquired from the general manager, to let contracts. "For instance," says Mr. Kerr, "suppose a contract of a half million cubic metres was called for, it would be given out, say at a price of $1.25 per cubic metre. The first contractor would sub-let the work at a lower figure to another, thus making a splendid profit himself. The work would often be sub-let to even a fourth party, who perhaps would get as low as 60c. per cubic metre for the same work for which the original contractor had been paid $1.25. Inspectors are appointed by the company to look after the work and give certificates to the contractor as it progresses. Sometimes, and in fact often, these inspectors have been induced to give certificates for portions of the work which have not been completed. Of course, they were well paid for 'passing' it, as it is termed. Thus money was in many cases drawn before the work was done at all."

In March, 1886, $270,000,000 had been expended on the canal, and only about one-fifth of the work was then finished. At the present rate of progress it will take forty years to complete it, at an outlay of $2,000,000,000. This is an enormous sum—possibly an exaggeration—but it is pretty certain that the undoubted ability of the great engineer at the head of the work will be taxed to its utmost to provide the "sinews of war." But the mind that conceived and carried to successful completion the Suez Canal, will not easily be daunted, and if De Lesseps' life is only prolonged, the pessimists of to-day may have occasion to revise their opinions. Our province, in common with the states of the north Pacific Coast, are deeply interested in the success of the canal. When constructed, as it will undoubtedly be some day, the long voyage from Victoria Liverpool or London, which now occupied six months, will be reduced fully one-half, greatly to the advantage of our shippers. Necessarily, freights will then be reduced, and our importers will be less than ever dependent upon the exactions and oppressions of transcontinental railways.

A cable dispatch says that the Governor of Western Australia has suspended the Chief Justice of the Colony, Hon. Alexander Campbell Onslow.

AN INTERESTING TABLE.

A recent report issued by the Secretary of the Treasury at Washington gives the prices of the various commodities during the years 1825 to 1887. It will be interesting to note and compare these prices and ascertain what articles of common use we purchase cheaper than our grand and great grandfathers did, and how many have neither become much cheaper nor dearer in the meantime. The quotations are those current in New York at the periods named. Herewith are a few of the leading lines and prices:

	1825.		1886.	
	Low.	High.	Low.	High.
Mess Beef, bbl	$ 8 00	$ 10 00	$ 5 00	$12 00
Mess Pork, bbl	12 00	14 75	10 00	12 50
Butter, lb	8	24	15	28
Cheese, lb	5	10	7	12
Coffee, Rio, lb	16	19	9	10½
Cotton, upland, lb	13	27	9	10
Coal, anthracite, ton	$ 00	11 00	3 15	3 45
Flour, bbl	3 25	4 25	2 85	3 30
Corn, bush	42	75	43	55
Hops, lb	13	25	5	28
Iron, bar, ton	83 00	120 00	24 00	47 00
Iron, pig, ton	25 00	73 00	18 00	24 50
Lard, lb	6	10	6	7½
Leather, lb	21	25	19	24
Mackerel, bbl	5 00	5 75	15 00	29 00
Molasses, gal	28	48	27	44
Oats, bush	28	40	20	39
Rice, 100 lbs	2 00	4 00	3 00	5 00
Salt, sack	2 37	3 00	70	2 15
Sugar, raw, lb	6	11	4½	5½
Tobacco, leaf, lb	3	9	8	16
Wheat, bush	15	1 00	83	99
Whiskey, gal	25	31	1 10	1 17
Wool, lb	30	38	30	34

The most striking variations in prices are to be found in the price of coal and whiskey. Although fifty years have intervened between the two periods named the changes and fluctuations are scarcely greater than those frequently occurring in any year. It is evident that whilst the production is yearly increasing of the articles we have quoted, the consumption keeps pace therewith.

POLITICAL AND PERSONAL.

It would seem as though the problem of wheat growing in the Northwest, despite the early frosts, has been solved by the introduction of Russian wheat, which grows faster and matures several weeks earlier than the old varieties. If this is indeed so, says an Ottawa "journal, the expense of Hon. John Carling's Experimental farm to the country will have been defrayed a thousand fold in a few years."

Manitoba and the Northwest are certainly unfortunate in troubles calculated to depreciate them as fields for immigration. One year it is rebellion and bloodshed, another year early frosts and blight, another year drought, and when all these things are past and gone, up come railway complications so serious that there is talk of rebellion and bloodshed once more. When the English farmer who contemplates emigration weighs the merits of Australia and Canada in the balance, the mere words "railway monopoly" will decide him against us, let alone the dread word "war!"

Toronto *Mail*: "In view of the legal proceedings taken by the Dominion Government to check Manitoba in the matter of the Red River Valley Railway, the opinion recently expressed by Mr. Shakespeare, M. P., of Victoria, B. C., that Sir John Macdonald would not interfere with the undertaking, as he is too wise to oppose the general feeling in favor of the prosecution of the work, becomes interesting, though perhaps it is slightly incorrect." Mr. Shakespeare will probably deny that he ever uttered a sentiment calculated like this to place him in antagonism to a leader, of whom he is the slave. Will our representative kindly rise and explain?

There is a movement in Boston to get British subjects to naturalize and throw their influence into American politics. The promoters of the movement hope to naturalize five thousand British subjects in Boston alone before the next presidential election. We would suggest that our worthy Mayor start a similar movement in Victoria. By inducing our American citizens—of whom there are a great many—to become naturalized before the next city election, he would ensure his re-election by a large majority over the enemies of the city and the "Hendry scheme." Americans are proverbially sensible, although the fact that so many in Victoria have neglected to become citizens of this fair city would seem to contradict that statement.

London *Dispatch*: "We shall not pry too curiously into the question raised by Sir John Macdonald's denial that he ever told the reporter of the Toronto *Evening News* that he would dragoon the Manitobans with British troops if they persisted in building a railway from Winnipeg to the United States frontier. Sir John is of the Beaconsfieldian genus 'jingo'—species, 'Bluenose.' If he did *not* utter the threats they are the kind of threats that those who know his mind do not scruple to utter for him in private. We need hardly say that the question in dispute is one that admits of easy settlement without any appeal to 'English regulars,' even though they be armed with corkscrew bayonets. Has Manitoba under the British North America Act any right to build a railway from Winnipeg to the American frontier, and has Sir John Macdonald under that Act, as representing the Dominion Government, any right to interfere with the Manitobans for building this railway on their own ground, at their own charges? The case put forward for Sir John by the "Canadian authorities in London" is singularly weak. The line in question, they say, is not necessary. Already Manitoba has two branch lines connecting her section of the Canadian Pacific Railway with the American system. Yes. But supposing the Legislature of Manitoba think it would be for the good of the colony to have a third, and supposing they propose to build it with their own money, who is to say "No?" Surely not the Imperial Parliament that passed the British North America Act, giving the Canadian provincial Legislatures sole control of all railways within their own territory built to develop their own resources."

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Notices.

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Victoria, August 29, 1887. aug29 tf

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

SECTION 60. Lake District.—Whereas the Certificate of Title of Bernard F. Dillon, of Esquimalt District, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned section, bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1883, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate: Notice is therefore given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 20th August, 1887. aug27 1m

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province."

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all Claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
President.

JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.

Victoria, B. C., July 25th, 1887. july26

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Location of Works, Hixon Creek, B.C

NOTICE.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE following described Stock on account of assessment levied on the 23rd of July, 1887, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
W. H. Redmond	1845	1000	$10 00
R. H. Benedict	1726	100	1 00
" "	1727	100	1 00
Jas. Carmichael	1713	100	1 00
" "	1715	100	1 00
" "	1716	100	1 00
" "	1717	100	1 00
" "	1718	100	1 00
J. Davies	1666	500	5 00
D. E. Campbell	1517	600	6 00
" "	1519	800	8 00
E. B. Carmichael	1520	200	2 00
H. H. Boycroft	1495	1000	10 00
Henry Boycroft	1471	200	2 00
Henry Strange	1444	500	5 00
Rosy M'Phetridge	1661	100	1 00
" "	1662	100	1 00
" "	1663	100	1 00
" "	1664	100	1 00
" "	1665	100	1 00
" "	1666	500	5 00
John Smith	1360	920	9 20
W. Manson	1271	1000	10 00
W. Morrison	1658	1000	10 00
" "	1660	2000	20 00
" "	1128	500	5 00
" "	1129	500	5 00
" "	1130	200	2 00
" "	1131	200	2 00
" "	1132	200	2 00
" "	1133	200	2 00
" "	1134	100	1 00
" "	1135	100	1 00
" "	1219	500	5 00

And in accordance with law so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C., on the 22nd day of September, 1887, at the hour of 2 p.m., to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

W. A. JOHNSTON,
Secretary.

Quesnelle, B. C., August 29, 1887. sep8 D&W2w

Victoria Water Works

Regulation By-Law.

Until otherwise ordered by the Water Commissioner by notice to be published seven days before taking effect, from the 1st day of April to the 30th day of September, both inclusive in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Water Works shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling except during the hours between five o'clock in the evening on the respective days mentioned and nine o'clock in the next following morning, namely:

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City Hall, May 27, 1887. may27

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CHAPTER XI.—Continued.

As we gazed upon the beauties thus revealed by Good a spirit of emulation filled our breasts, and we set to work to get ourselves up as well as we could. The most, however, that we were able to do was to array ourselves in our spare suits of shooting clothes, of which we each had one, keeping on our mail shirts underneath. As for my appearance, all the fine clothes in the world could never make it otherwise than scrubby and insignificant; but Sir Henry looked what he is, a magnificent man in his nearly new tweed suit, gaiters and boots. Alphonse also got himself up to kill, giving an extra turn to his enormous mustaches. Even old Umslopogaas, who was not in a general way given to the vain adorning of his body, took some oil out of the lantern and a bit of tow, and polished up his head ring with it till it shone like Good's patent leather boots. Then he put on the mail shirt Sir Henry had given him and his "moocha," and having cleaned up his assegai a little, stood forth complete.

All this while, having hoisted the sail again as soon as we had finished bathing, we had been progressing steadily for the land, or, rather, for the mouth of a great river. Presently—in all about an hour and a half after the little boat had left us—we saw emerging from the river or harbor a large number of boats, ranging up to ten or twelve tons burden. One of these was propelled by twenty-four oars, and most of the rest sailed. Looking through the glass we soon made out that the row boat was an official vessel, her crew being all dressed in a sort of uniform, while on the half deck forward stood an old man of venerable appearance and with a flowing white beard and a sword strapped to his side, who was evidently the commander of the craft. The other boats were apparently occupied by people brought out by curiosity, and were rowing or sailing toward us as quickly as they could.

"Now for it," said I. "What is the betting? Are they going to be friendly or to put an end to us?"

Nobody could answer this question, and not liking the warlike appearance of the old gentleman and his sword, we felt a little anxious.

Just then Good spied a school of hippopotami on the water about 200 yards off us, and suggested that it would not be a bad plan to impress the natives with a sense of our power by shooting some of them if possible. This, unluckily enough, struck us as a good idea, and accordingly we at once got out our eight bore rifles, for which we still had a few cartridges left, and prepared for action. There were four of the animals—a big bull, a cow, and two young ones, one three parts grown. We got up to them without difficulty, the great animals contenting themselves with sinking down into the water and rising again a few yards farther on; indeed, their excessive tameness struck me as being peculiar. When the advancing boats were about 500 yards away Sir Henry opened the ball by firing at the three parts grown young one. The heavy bullet struck it fair between the eyes and crashing through the skull, killed it, and it sank, leaving a long train of blood behind it. At the same moment I fired at the cow and Good at the old bull. My shot took effect, but not fatally, and down went the hippopotamus with a prodigious splashing, only to rise again presently blowing and grunting furiously, dyeing all the water round her crimson, when I killed her with the left barrel. Good, who is an execrable shot, missed the head of the bull altogether, the bullet merely cutting the side of his face as it passed. On glancing up, after I had fired my second shot, I perceived that the people we had fallen among were evidently ignorant of the nature of fire arms, for the consternation caused by our shots, and their effect upon the animals, was prodigious. Some of the parties in the boats began to try out with fear; others [illegible] and even the old gentleman with the sword looked puzzled and alarmed, and halted his big rowboat. We had, however, but little time for observation, for just then the old bull, rendered furious by the wound he had received, rose fair within forty yards of us, glaring savagely. We all fired and hit him in various places, and down he went, badly wounded. Curiosity now began to overcome the fear of the onlookers, and some of them sailed on up close to us, among these being the man and woman whom we had first seen a couple of hours or so before, who drew up almost alongside. Just then the great brute rose again within ten yards of their boat and instantly with a roar of fury made at it open mouthed. The woman shrieked and the man tried to give the boat way, but without success. In another second I saw the huge red jaws and gleaming ivories close with a crunch on the frail craft, taking an enormous mouthful out of its side and capsizing it. Down went the boat, leaving its occupants struggling in the water. Next moment, before we could do anything toward saving them, the huge and furious creature was up again and making open mouthed at the poor girl, who was struggling in the water. Lifting my rifle just as the grinding jaws were about to close on her, I fired over head right down the hippopotamus' throat. Over he went and commenced turning round and round, snorting and blowing red streams of blood through his nostrils. Before he could recover himself, however, I let him have the other barrel in the side of the throat, and that finished him. He never moved or struggled again, but instantly sank. Our next effort was directed toward saving the girl, the man having swum off toward another boat; and in this we were fortunately successful, pulling her into the canoe (amid the shouts of the spectators) considerably exhausted and frightened, but otherwise unhurt.

Meanwhile the boats had gathered together at a distance, and we could see that their occupants, who were evidently much frightened, were consulting what to do. Without giving them time for further consideration, which we thought might result unfavorably to ourselves, we instantly took our paddles and advanced towards them, Good standing in the bow and taking off his cocked hat politely in every direction, his amiable features suffused by a bland but intelligent smile. Most of the craft retreated as we advanced, but a few held their ground, while the big rowboat came on to meet us. Presently we were alongside, and I could see that our appearance—and especially Good's and Umslopogaas'—filled the venerable looking commander with astonishment, not unmixed with awe. He was dressed after the same fashion as the man we first met, except that his shirt was not made of brown cloth, but of pure white linen hemmed with purple. The kilt, however, was identical, and so were the thick rings of gold around the arm and beneath the left knee. The rowers were only a kilt, their bodies being naked to the waist. Good took off his hat to the old gentleman with an extra flourish, and inquired after his health in the purest English, to which he replied by laying the first two fingers of his right hand horizontally across his lips and holding them there for a moment, which we took as his method of salutation. Then he also addressed some remarks to us in the same soft accents that had distinguished our first interviewer, which we were forced to indicate we did not understand by shaking our heads and shrugging our shoulders. This last A[illegible]ense, being to the manner born, did so perfection, and in as polite a way that nobody could take any offense. Then we came to a standstill, till I, being exceedingly hungry, thought I might as well call attention to the fact, and did so first by opening my mouth and pointing down it, and then rubbing my stomach. These signals the old gentleman clearly understood, for he nodded his head vigorously, and pointed toward the harbor; and at the same time one of the men on his boat threw us a line and motioned to us to make it fast, which we did. The row boat then took us in tow, and proceeded with great rapidity toward the mouth of the river, accompanied by all the other boats. In about twenty minutes more we reached the entrance to the harbor, which was crowded with boats full of people who had come out to see us. We observed that all the occupants were more or less of the same type, though some were fairer than others. Indeed, we noticed certain ladies whose skin was of a most dazzling whiteness; and the darkest shade of color which we saw was about that of a rather swarthy Spaniard. Presently the wide river gave a sweep, and when it did so an exclamation of astonishment and delight burst from our lips as we caught our first view of the place that we afterward knew as Milosis, or the Frowning City (from mi, which means city, and losis, a frown).

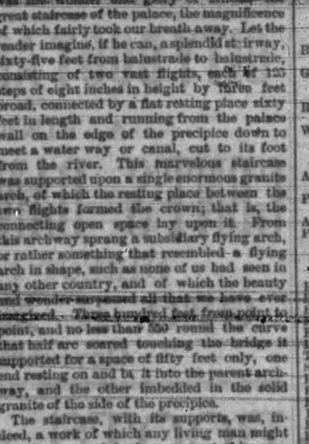
At a distance of some 500 yards from the river's bank rose a sheer precipice of granite, 200 feet or so in height, which had no doubt once formed the bank itself—the intermediate space of land now utilized as docks and roadways having been gained by draining and deepening and embanking the stream.

On the brow of this precipice stood a great building of the same granite that formed the cliff, built on three sides of a square, the fourth side being open, save for a kind of battlement pierced at its base by a little door. This imposing place we afterwards discov-

Approaching Milosis.

ered was the palace of the queen, or rather of the queens. At the back of the palace the town sloped gently upward to a flashing building of white marble, crowned by the golden dome which we had already observed. The city was, with the exception of this one building, entirely built of red granite and laid out in regular blocks with splendid roadways between. So far as we could see also the houses were all one storied and detached, with gardens round them, which gave some relief to the eye wearied with the vista of red granite. At the back of the palace a road of extraordinary width stretched away up the hill for the distance of a mile and a half or so, and appeared to terminate at an open space surrounding the gleaming building that crowned the hill. But right in front of us was the wonder and glory of Milosis—the great staircase of the palace, the magnificence of which fairly took our breath away. Let the reader imagine, if he can, a splendid stairway, sixty-five feet from balustrade to balustrade, consisting of two vast flights, each of 125 steps of eight inches in height by three feet broad, connected by a flat resting place sixty feet in length and running from the palace wall on the edge of the precipice down to meet a water way or canal, cut to its foot from the river. This marvelous staircase was supported upon a single enormous granite arch, of which the resting place between the two flights formed the crown; that is, the connecting open space lay upon it. From this archway sprang a subsidiary flying arch, or rather something that resembled a flying arch in shape, such as none of us had seen in any other country, and of which the beauty and wonder surpassed all that we have ever imagined. These buttressed [illegible] from the point, and no less than 350 round the curve that half arc soared touching the bridge it supported for a space of fifty feet only, one end resting on and b[illegible] into the parent archway, and the other imbedded in the solid granite of the side of the precipice.

The staircase, with its supports, was, indeed, a work of which any living man might have been proud, both on account of its magnitude and its surpassing beauty. Four times, as we afterward learned, did the work, which was commenced in remote antiquity, fall and was then abandoned for three centuries, when half finished, till at last there rose a youthful engineer named Rademas, who said that he would complete it successfully, and staked his life upon it. If he failed, he was to be hurled from the precipice he had undertaken to scale; if he succeeded, he was to be rewarded by the hand of the king's daughter. Five years was given to him to complete the work, and an unlimited supply of labor and material. Three times did his arch fall, till at last, seeing failure to be inevitable, he determined to commit suicide on the morrow of the third collapse. That night, however, a beautiful woman came to him in a dream and touched his forehead, and of a sudden he saw a vision of the completed work, and saw, too, through the masonry, and how the difficulties connected with the flying arch that had hitherto baffled his genius were to be overcome. Then he awoke and once more commenced the work, but on a different plan, and behold! he achieved it, and on the last day of the five years he led the princess, his bride, up the stair and into the palace. And in due course he became king by right of his wife and founded the present Zu-Vendi dynasty, which is to this day called the "House of the Stairway," thus proving once more how energy and talent are the natural stepping stones to grandeur. And to commemorate his triumph he fashioned a statue of himself dreaming and of the fair woman who touched him on the forehead, and placed it in the great hall of the palace, and there it stands to this day.



The great staircase.

Such was the great stair of Milosis, and such the city beyond. No wonder they called it the "Frowning City," for certainly those mighty works in solid granite did seem to frown down upon our littleness in their somber splendor. This was so even in the sunshine, but when the storm clouds gathered on her imperial brow, Milosis looked more like a supernatural dwelling place, or some imagining of a poet's brain, than what she is—a mortal city, carved by the patient genius of generations out of the red silence of the mountain side.

To be continued.

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Victoria's Wholesale and Retail Market--Articles and Prices Charged.

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Victoria, Sept. 20, 1887.

THE WHOLESALE TRADE.

Flour—Hungarian	$ 5 50 @	$ 5 50
" Strong Bakers	5 00	5 00
" Royal	9 50	0 00
" Superfine	3 75	0 00
" Snowflake	4 50	0 00
Saanich Boar, per bbl	4 50	0 00
Wheat per ton	30 00	0 00
Oats "	29 00	0 00
Barley "	25 00	30 00
Middlings per ton	23 00	25 00
Bran "	20 00	22 50
Ground feed "	27 00	40 00
Oil Cake "	26 00	28 00
Corn, whole, "	25 00	28 00
Corn, cracked "	3 00	3 00
Corn Meal, per 100 lbs	0 00	4 25
Oatmeal "	3 75	3 75
Beans, large white, 100 lbs	3 00	3 00
" small white, "	3 50	3 50
" Rango "	1 90	0 00
Peas for feed "	1 00	1 25
Potatoes "	1 50	1 50
Onions "	5 00	22 00
Hay per ton, baled	20 00	0 00
Straw per bale	1 00	1 25
Apples per box, imported	1 50	1 75
Peaches "	1 00	1 25
Plums per box	1 25	1 50
Lemons, California, per box	5 00	8 75
" Sicily "	8 00	8 00
Melons per crate	5 00	6 00
Bananas, bunch	4 50	4 75
Grapes per box	1 25	1 50
Grapes, crated	1 50	1 75
Tomatoes per box	1 00	1 50
Eggs per dozen, Island	40	0 00
" " imported	35	0 00
Butter, roll, Island, per lb	20	0 35
" imported	30	35
" tub or firkin, imported	25	30
Cheese, local	15	0 00
" Canadian	15	0 00
" imported, California	15	15
Ham, Canadian	13	16
" American	16	18
Bacon, Canadian, breakfast	14	16
" American	14	16
Shoulders	12	00
Rolled	13	14
Lard	11	13
Sugars, according to grades from	6	9
Teas, Japan	20	45
" Congou	20	35
" English breakfast	45	65
Coffee, Costa Rica, green	25	28
" Old Government Java	27	30
" Mocha	30	37
Tobacco, T & B plug, per lb	55	70
Tobacco, T & B, cut	68	70
Tobacco, J B Pace's	70	0 71
" Climax, chewing	70	1 00
Oil, Am., illuminat'g, p cs 10 gal	2 75	2 75
" Canadian "	2 25	1 25
" Labriclating "	0 00	00
Cut nails, 10 to 60 dy, p k 100 lbs	4 25	00
" " 8 dy and 9 dy	4 50	00
" " 6 dy and 7 dy	4 75	00
" " 4 dy and 5 dy	5 00	00
Horse nails, point and fine	4 50	4 75
Rope, Manilla	13	15
" Sisal	12	14
Axes, Columbia, per doz	16 00	18 00
Meats—Beef per lb	8	10
" Mutton "	8	10
" Lamb "	15	18
" Veal "	15	18
" Tallow "	4	6
" Lard, leaf, per lb	13	00
" Sausages, pork, per lb	15	00
" Head Cheese, &c	8	00
Oakum per bale	5 50	00
Linseed oil, gal boiled	95	00
" raw	90	00
Paints—White Lead, No 1	8	00
" Yellow	8	00
" Red	6	00
Puttey per lb	6	00
Wilmington pitch	4 50	00
Stockholm tar	11 50	00
Skidcoats oil, bbl, gal	55	00
Whiskies—Scotch, gls	3 00	00
" Dunville, Irish	2 75	00
" Canadian Rye, qts	5 00	00
" Old Bourbon	9 00	11 00
" Rye and Malt, p gal	1 80	2 00
Brandies—Hennessy's, case	12 50	16 50
" Martell's, 3 and X X X	11 50	16 50
Gin—DeKuyper's, red case	9 00	00
" " green case	5 13	000
" Booth's old Tom	6 50	000
Rum—Jamaica, 20 o p	3 50	000
" Demarara	3 45	000
Wines—Port, common	3 88	000
" Fine, old	4 00	6 00
" Sherry, common	3 00	00
" old	4 00	6 00
Ales—English, 6 doz cases, pts	11 25	12 50
" " 4 doz qts	11 25	12 50
Porter—Guinness' stout, pts	11 00	11 00
" " qts	11 00	11 00
Ale—Colonial, qts	1 50	1 50
Porter—Colonial	1 50	1 50

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Beef, side or carcass, per lb	8 @	10
" hind quarters, per lb	10	12
" fore quarters, per lb	5	10
" roasting pieces, per lb	10	12
Hearts	18	20
Livers	10	10
Tongues	50	75
Shanks	50	60
Pork, fresh cuts, per lb	15	16
Pork, carcass, per lb	12	18
Pork, pickled, per lb	12	15
Pork, long clear bacon, per lb	15	20
Pork, bacon smoked, per lb	18	20
Pork, ham sugar-cured, per lb	18	20
Sausage, per lb	20	25
Mutton, carcass, per lb	8	10
" legs and chops	—	10
Veal, carcass, per lb	9	12
" roast, per lb	10	12
Sugar, granulated, per lb	10	12
" brown, per lb	8	9
" loaf, per lb	12	12
Cheese, per lb	20	25
Bread, per loaf	5	10
Dried apples	10	20
Potatoes	1	2
Hay, per ton, pressed	25 00	00 00
Flour, per bbl	5 25	6 00
Bran, per lb	00 1¼	00 00
Shorts, per lb	00 1¼	00 00
Oats, per lb	00 1¾	00 00
Chopped feed, per lb	00 1¾	00 00
Barley "	00 1¾	00 00
Wheat "	00	0 00
Oatmeal per 10 lb sack		50
Eggs, per doz, fresh		40 50
" packed		30 35
Butter, fresh, per roll		00 75
" keg "		25 30
Lard, per lb		4 5
White beans, per lb		7 10
Wool, per lb		5 6
Hides, horse, per lb		5 6
" cows "		6 7
Skins, sheep, each		10 40
Wood, tamarac, cord	3 50	4 00
Coal, per ton, 2000 lbs	7 00	8 00
Coal oil, case	3 00	3 50

Land Applications.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections sixty, sixty-one, sixty-three, sixty-four, sixty-five and sixty-six on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. jul14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Section west half forty-six, west half forty-seven, forty-nine, fifty, fifty-one, and fifty-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situated on East side of upper Columbia Lake, on a small Creek about 2½ miles South of Armstrong Creek; the South East corner of said land to commence at an initial stake on said Creek and run thence North ½ mile, thence West ¼ mile to shore of lake thence South ¼ mile along lake shore and thence East ½ mile to initial stake.

WM. HARDIE.

Columbia Lakes, Kootenay, B. C. April 30th 1887. my 27-law-2mo

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections nine, ten, eleven and twelve on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one thousand acres of arable land in the Soyoos Valley, Similkameen District, and described as follows:

Commencing at a post within thirty chains of the Mile 120 Jubilee Creek; thence northeast six miles; thence northwest about half a mile; thence southwest four miles; thence southeast about half a mile to initial post.

A. C. NORRIS.
Journal's Prairie, Kootenay.

June 11th, 1887. july11 law 2m

Land Applications.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot No. 15; thence true south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. A. GREEN.
F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

August 2, 1887. sep8 law2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the land comprised in the group of Islands lying off Montague Harbor, Galiano Island, Cowichan District, viz.: the unoccupied portion of Parker Island, Twin Islands, Wise Island, Charles Island, Jetty Island, Sphynx Island, Retreat Island off Helgreat Cove, also the three Islands not named on chart, the whole comprising about 400 acres.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

July 20, 1887. aug1 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the unoccupied and vacant land on the north end of Thetis Island, contiguous to the pre-emption claim of Charles Myers, containing 200 acres, more or less; also Tent Island, lying southeast of Keeper Island, containing thirty acres, more or less, Cowichan District.

GEO. THOMSON.

August 1, 1887. aug1 law 2m

NOTICE—Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the pastoral land on Narrow Island, Trincomalee Channel, Cowichan District, said to contain one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, said Island being the abandoned pre-emption claim of J. A. Hutson.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

Narrow Island, Aug. 15, 1887. aug16 law 2m

NOTICE—Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres pastoral land, situated on Salt Spring Island, Cowichan District, commencing at the northwest corner of Piercy Roberts' pre-emption claim, then following the meanderings of the shore line to the northeast corner of Pottinger's claim to point of commencement. The above is the land formerly occupied by John Henning, and now abandoned by him.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

Salt Spring Island, Aug. 15, 1887. aug16 2m law

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 16 Sooke District, thence due north 60 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 160 chains to N. E. corner of Section 52, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.

R. E. JACKSON.

Victoria, B. C. 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at north west corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 49, 46, 47, 48 Sooke District, thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51, and 52 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law

NOTICE is hereby given that I have made application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land containing one thousand acres more or less situated on Cortez Island, commencing from a post situated on the shore of the west side of Cortez Island, southeast of Plumper Pass; thence east twenty (20) chains; thence south twenty (20) chains; thence east one hundred and twenty (120) chains; thence north one hundred and twenty (120) chains; thence west forty (40) chains; thence north forty (40) chains; thence west forty (40) chains; thence south forty (40) chains; thence west forty (40) chains, more or less, to a stake situated on the west shore of Cortez Island; thence along the water's edge to place of commencement.

MOSES C. IRELAND.

Victoria, 1st Sept., 1887. sep 2 1m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the unoccupied land situate on the north end of Salt Spring Island and described as follows:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 2; thence following the meanderings of the shore line in a northerly and easterly direction to the north west corner of E. J. Rosman's pre-emption claim, No. 165; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence in a southerly direction, following the western boundary of section 7, Range I north, to the north west corner of Lot 5; thence in a northwesterly direction, following the northern boundary of Lot 4 for a distance of 45 chains, more or less; thence due north 39.70 chains; thence due west 47.89 chains to the point of commencement, containing 500 acres more or less.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

August 1, 1887. aug9 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections thirty-five, thirty-six, thirty-nine, forty-two, forty-three, east half of forty-six, southeast half of forty-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections ninety-four, ninety-five, ninety-six and ninety-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situated on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections eighty-four, eighty-five, ninety, ninety-one and ninety-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiry of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections seventy-one, seventy-two, north half of seventy-three, seventy-five, seventy-six and seventy-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS.
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july 14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend to make application, two months after date, to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, of pastoral lands, said lands being the Islands in Oyster Harbor, Nanaimo District.

ALBERT RAPER.
ELIJAH PRIEST.

Nanaimo, B. C., July 5, 1887. jul19 law 4w

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Daily except Monday, at 2 o'clock.
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Friday at 7 o'clock.
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For Plumper Pass,
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Steamers for HOPE and WAY LANDINGS leave New Westminster every Tuesday. For CHILLIWHACK and WAY LANDINGS every Thursday and Saturday.

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Steamer Maude Leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports Sept. 29, October 29, Nov. 29.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.
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March 16, 1887.

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The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Wednesday, Sept. 21, 1887.

MARRIED.

MORROW—WILLIAMS.—On the 20th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, Blanchard Avenue, by the Rev. W. J. Dowler, B. A., brother-in-law of the bride, Mr. D. Morrow to Kate, third daughter of the late J. W. Williams.

FLARERTY—DEARDEN.—On the 12th inst., at Ste. Ribisanne Church, Richmond, Quebec, by the Rev. Father Banning, T. E. Flaherty, Conductor G. P. Railway, to Ellen, third daughter of W. F. Dearden, Head Master H. M. Dockyard, and sister of Dr. G. A. Dearden of this city.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.

—A new flag floated at half-mast on the corporation flag-staff to-day.

—Money saved by having your plans made by FISHER, the ARCHITECT. *

—CEREALINE FLAKES, a breakfast delicacy, at Nenfelder & Ross. *

—Thursday, Nov. 17th, has been proclaimed a national Thanksgiving Day by the Governor-General.

—Green Turtle, Terrapins, Frogs and Eastern Oysters just received at the POODLE DOG. *

—The only case in the Police Court to-day was a man charged with drunkenness.

—Steitz Bros. are prepared to supply their celebrated ICE CREAM in quantities to suit, by the glass, quart or gallon. *

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., and views of Alaska, for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St.

—For a delicious MILK PUNCH or a *genuine* COCKTAIL, go to the Pritchard House. *

—Messrs. Robert Ward & Co., Wharf street, in addition to the shipment by the Titania, yesterday sent three carloads of salmon east over the Northern Pacific.

The only place in the city for a glass of British Beer on draught is the Occidental Hotel. XXX Edinburgh and XXX Burton. WM. JENSEN.

—A musical and literary entertainment will be given in the Methodist Church, Gorge Road, this Wednesday evening; admission 25 cents.

—You can have Brown's celebrated CLIMAX WASHING POWDER at greatly reduced prices, manufactured by PENDRAY & Co., Humboldt street, Victoria. *

—Capt. O'Brien advertises the Alden Besse to sail from Old Tacoma for Hong Kong, via Honolulu, on or about the 25th inst.

—DRAWING AND PAINTING: Mrs. E. J. Miller will re-open her classes September 18th, in room 19, Bank of British Columbia building. *

—Pendray & Co. have only sent a part of their No. 1 soap east. You can have your orders promptly filled by them on Humboldt street. *

—Families requiring extra quantities of sugar for preserving purposes will find it to their advantage to purchase at FELL & Co's. *

—The volunteers will meet to-night in the large room over Messrs. M. W. Waitt & Co.'s music store, Government street, to arrange for the organization of a gymnasium club.

—Tomb and Headstone, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Hudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work. *

—The *Colonist*, as an authority on historical matters, is like the weather—very unreliable. In proof of this read the letter of "Historicus" in this morning's *Standard*.

—A consignment of BESSON & Co.'s celebrated PROTOTYPE BAND INSTRUMENTS AND CORNETS are now on the way for M. W. WAITT & Co., who are the *sole agents* for B. C. *

—The people east are good judges of soap, that's just the reason they buy largely of Pendray & Co. We keep a full stock on hand of soap that is soap. You try it. *

—W. H. PENNOCK, practical jeweler and diamond setter, DENBY'S BLOCK, upstairs, Government street. Best quality, latest styles, reasonable prices, gold plating and general repairs. P. O. Box 66. *

—REDUCED PRICES:—Just received over 250 patterns fine mouldings, steel engravings and all latest pictures in stock. Framing and mounting a specialty. JOS. SOMMERS, Government street. *

—The Wesleyan Methodists of Chilliwhack are about to erect a church at Centreville. Tenders have been called for to be sent to the Rev. C. M. Tate. Plans and specifications are to be seen at the store of Mr. J. T. Wilkinson.

—When symptoms of malaria appear, in any form, take Ayer's Ague Cure. It will prevent a development of the germs of disease, and eradicate them from the system. A cure is warranted in every instance. *

—At Brandon, Manitoba, wheat is selling at 50c. per bushel; oats, 25c.; butter, 15c., with shipments coming to British Columbia; eggs, scarce at 15c.; cattle, 2½ to 2¾c. live weight; hogs, 4 to 4½c live weight.

—When the system is debilitated by disease, it should be strengthened and renewed with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine invariably proves itself worthy of all that can be said in its favor. Sold by druggists and dealers in medicines. Price $1. Six bottle, $5. *

—The Vancouver City Council is becoming as neglicent as the Victoria Board of Trade. For the second time in succession there has been no quorum at the regular meeting. The plan adopted in the Victoria City Council, of retreating in good order when the fight becomes too hot is better than not facing the music at all.

—The hop market in Washington Territory is not particularly strong at present. Coast hops in the east are not considered desirable, and are handled only by new firms. The crop of the Territory this year will range about 25,000 bales, or 1000 less than last year. Last year's best are ranging in price from 12 to 15 c.; acids, common to good, 10 to 12; 1885, good to prime, 6 to 9c.

Langtry.

Ladies kid laced boots, something VERY NEAT, late of arriving will be sold CHEAP at ERSKINE'S BOOT AND SHOE EMPORIUM, corner Government and Johnson streets. *

To Nanaimo.

Ex-Governor Stanford, Col. Crocker, Mr. A. N. Towney, Mr. R. Dunsmuir, M. P. P., and Mr. J. Hunter left for Nanaimo and Wellington at 8:30, this morning in Mr. Dunsmuir's private car, the "Maude." They will return this evening.

The St. Leger Race.

In answer to a "Turf Sporter" THE TIMES has to state that the race for the St. Leger stakes which took place on the 14th inst., was won by Lord Rodney's Kilwardine; Abington's Merry Hampton coming in second and the Duchess of Montrose's Timothy third.

Tony Cigars.

Fire Watch.

The reporter belonging to the *Colonist* should be aware of the fact that no watchmen are stationed in two of the fire houses. On enquiry we find that the engineer and driver were in the Yates street house from 7:30 p. m. yesterday until 6 a. m. to-day. They cannot hear reporters whistling in the other stations.

Gladstone Cigars.

Look Out for Them.

A gang of counterfeiters was lately discovered and broken up near Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. They had a considerable quantity of "the queer" in their possession. It is believed they were the means of putting into circulation Bank of British North America $5 and Dominion $2 notes, which are quite common in the east.

Black and Tan Cigars.

The Railway Extension.

About sixty men are employed on the rock cutting across the harbor, and will complete that portion of the work next week. A trestle bridge 30 feet high is being constructed over the flat on the old Indian reserve. The work is being delayed on account of the scarcity of lumber. The old brick buildings which stood at the foot of Cormorant street have been removed and the iron horse will probably enter this city before the end of the present year.

Smoke "Creme de la Creme" Cigars.

Esquimalt Notes.

The following vessels are at anchor in Esquimalt harbor: H. M. Ships Triumph, Caroline and Wild Swan; belonging to the merchant service, the Beaconsfield, Titania and Hermine.

Mr. John Howard is improving.

The water service from Thetis Lake is under way. The pipes will be laid to Esquimalt and along the road to the boundary of this city.

The dry dock is empty at present. A vessel will enter the dock next week.

Really! The Creme de la Creme.

Marriage Bells.

Mr. D. W. Morrow, a well-known popular young gentleman of this city, and Miss Kate Williams, daughter of the late J. W. Williams, were last night united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the residence of the bride's mother by her brother-in-law, the Rev. W. J. Dowler, B. A., in the presence of the immediate friends of the bride and bridegroom. They left Wednesday morning on a trip across the Sound, where the honeymoon will be spent. Our congratulations and best wishes follow them throughout the life upon which they have now entered.

Creme de la Creme Cigars; A. B. Gray & Co., Agents.

An Explicit Denial.

Capt. L. G. Shepard, of the revenue cutter Rush, has written a letter in denial of the article which first appeared in the San Francisco *Chronicle* of the 19th inst., to the effect that Capt. J. D. Warren made himself personally offensive to the officers of the Rush. Capt. Shepard says this statement is totally untrue, and adds: "Capt. Warren, as well as the captains of all other vessels that it became my unpleasant duty to seize for violation of law, during the past summer, conducted themselves with the utmost propriety, and I have had no *personal* difficulties whatever with them."

Give Them a Chance.

That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air-passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are clogged and choked with matter which ought not to be there, your lungs cannot half do their work. And what they do, they cannot do well.

Call it cold, cough, croup, pneumonia, catarrh, consumption or any of the family of throat and nose and head and lung obstructions, all are bad. All ought to be got rid of. There is just one sure way to get rid of them. That is to take Boschee's German Syrup, which any druggist will sell you at 75 cents a bottle. Even if everything else has failed you you may depend upon this for certain. *

A Notable Amusement Event.

The eminent farcical comedian Louis Harrison, supported by his magnificent comedy organization, comprising the names of sixteen artists of metropolitan fame and reputation, will be seen in this city for the first time next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, at the Victoria Theatre, in their presentation of their phenomenally successful and universally conceded most humorous of all plays of the class, entitled "Stripped by the Light of the Moon" and "Out of the Frying Pan into the Fire." These productions, as presented by this company have been the reigning rage of laughter, and the comedy sensations of the past five years, in all the principal cities of America, from New York to San Francisco, everywhere creating a veritable furore, and with the same here with the original company, and with the same attention paid to details and scenic effect as presented in the most important cities in the United States. It is safe to predict a great treat for our amusement patrons.

The San Francisco Steamers.

The Pacific Coast steamers are about to be changed about somewhat. The collier Umatilla, which is being changed into a passenger steamer at the Union Iron Works, San Francisco, will be ready for service about November 1st, and will replace the Mexico on the Puget Sound line. The Mexico will be added to the line between San Francisco and San Diego and way ports, alternately with the Santa Rosa and the Queen of the Pacific.

A Clerical Excursion.

The Quebec priests are organizing an excursion for the purpose of inspecting land in Manitoba and the Northwest. The visit will be extended to British Columbia. The principal organizer is the Rev. T. Boiric, of St. Hyacinthe. On their return to the east is is expected they will encourage their people to organize in the various parishes for colonization purposes. British Columbia will be able to accommodate quite a number of them.

Gave Himself Up.

Charles W. Mullen, who has resided in Victoria since escaping from the custody of officers when on board the San Francisco steamer at the outer wharf, when being taken from San Francisco to Seattle a few years ago, went over to Seattle last week and surrendered himself to the authorities. He appeared before Judge Jones in the District Court on Tuesday and was formally arraigned, the indictment being for gambling and forgery. The old indictments are thought to be defective, and it is thought that the cases will not be pushed. Mullen is at present on bail—two sureties of $500 each.

A Busy Season.

The present may be termed the busy season in this section of the province. Every mechanic in the building line is fully occupied and receiving good wages. In the district there is not an idle man to be found. Farmers are busy threshing their grain, there being no less than three steam and four horse-power threshing machines now in the Saaniches. The yield is turning out to be good, both as regards quantity and quality, much better in fact than was expected it would be some weeks ago. Saanich will be well represented at the Provincial next week at Chilliwhack, a number of the leading farmers there having decided to be present.

The Elder's Cargo.

The steamer Geo. W. Elder, which arrived at this port on Monday morning, had the following merchandise on board for the cities named to go hence from Vancouver to

Chicago, value	$34,355
Minneapolis	0 600
St. Paul	2,047
New York	19,300
Albany, N.Y.	1,000
Troy, N. Y.	1,100
Philadelphia	3,300
Total	$61,557
British Columbia	10,987
Grand total	$65,444

The shipments to Eastern cities included the following: To Chicago—62,711 lbs dried fruit, 782,731 lbs coffee. To Minneapolis—25,000 galls. syrup. To St. Paul 96,000 galls. syrup. To New York—34,049 lbs wool, 80 bbls. salmon. To Albany—75 bbls. salmon. To Troy—80 bbls. salmon. To Philadelphia—21,730 lbs. dried fruit.

The shipments to British Columbia included 2,512 dried and 150 cs. canned fruit, 165 cs. canned goods, 1,640 lbs tea, 1,515 lbs coffee, 300 sks beans, 1,619 lbs bacon and hams, 2,036 lbs butter, 4,083 lbs bread, 500 lbs rice, 300 galls. wine, 154 galls. whiskey, 169 lbs tobacco, 11,365 lbs malt, 12 cs. sewing machines, 2 flasks quicksilver.

White Bronze Monuments.

Messrs. H. G. & R. Walker, of this city, are agents in British Columbia for the St. Thomas, Ont., White Bronze Monument Company, of whose exhibition at Canada's Greatest Fair held a few days since a Toronto journal says that "it gives evidence of more marked improvement in a particular branch of trade than any other. To the ordinary eye it would seem that perfection has been reached, and the exhibit is worthy of the closest attention. One of the very handsome pieces shown is a monument manufactured for Mr. Lamphier of Halifax, a pedestal tastefully ornamented, with the family name in rustic letters that have a very fine effect. All the lettering in this class of work stands out in relief and is a great improvement over lettering that is sunk in the work. This monument is worth $650 and goes to Halifax at the close of the exhibition. Monuments for Mr. Henderson, Mr. Stevens and others, at prices ranging from $40 to $175, are all fine specimens of workmanship at astonishingly low prices. A bust of the late Hon. George Brown, an excellent likeness, attracts a great deal of attention. A very attractive article is a tablet for the St. Thomas firemen who fought the great fire at the recent railway collision in that town. The whole exhibit is destined to show the suitableness of white bronze for monuments, church tablets, vault doors, etc., and the company, though but recently established, have already business dealings with all parts of the Dominion from Halifax to Victoria. Obliging agents are on hand at the exhibition grounds and readily give all information to parties inquiring.

Prominent Hamiltonians.

Mr. A. G. Ramsay, President and Managing Director of the Canada Life Assurance Company, Hamilton, Ont., was amongst the arrivals from the east last night. Mr. Ramsay is reported to be one of the best of managers and to his care, assiduity and alertness is due the large measure of success which has for many years attended this, the leading Canadian Life Company whose operations are not excelled by other company either in America or Europe. This is Mr. Ramsay's first trip to the coast. He is greatly delighted with all he has seen, and especially so with Victoria, whose surroundings remind him very much of his native land in the vicinity of Edinburgh. Mr. Ramsay has made a tour of the North west. His company are largely interested there. The resources of the North west, British Columbia included, have impressed him favorably. Calgary he reports as growing fast and substantially. Vancouver is a complete surprise to him. For its age he considers it a wonderful city.

Mr. John Stuart, one of Hamilton's leading wholesale grocers, accompanies Mr. Ramsay. Mr. Stuart's house is one of the oldest and most substantial concerns in the "ambitious little city." Its ramifications extend all over Canada, even unto this city.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Burton, of the Ontario bench, forms one of the party. His lordship for many years was a leading barrister in Hamilton. He has been on the bench several years, having been appointed to that position by the Hon. Edward Blake when he held the office of Minister of Justice in the Mackenzie administration. He is regarded as one of the most eminent judges in that province. The party will return east in a day or two.

Just Out.

I Haven't for a Long Time, (song.)
Dream of Summer Night, (song.)
Boys in Blue, (song.)
Jackets O' Blue, (sailor song.)
Swinging, (waltz.)
At Lombard's Music Sto

Consignees.

Consignees per North Pacific: A R Johnson, A Mayer, A B Gray, G Stronas, B.& Co, J Gosnell, Lenz & L, N & Ross, Turner B & Co, Brunett S Mill Co, Fell & Co, H Bay Co, J R Kerr, Valo & B.

Ho! For the Fair.

The C. P. N. Co. and the C. P. R. R Company will issue first-class round trip tickets at single fare $6.05, from Victoria to Chilliwhack and return, beginning with Tuesday morning, the 27th, and returning on the 1st of October.

New Drug Store.

R. Atwood & Co. have opened their drug store on Government street, next door to Neufelder & Ross, where can be found a full line of drugs, chemicals, toilet articles, patent medicines, etc., etc. Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded. R. ATWOOD & Co. *

Another Arrives.

The sealing schooner Triumph, Capt. Smith, reached the harbor about 3 o'clock this afternoon. She has 500 skins on board. She is a small vessel, the smallest of the fleet, carrying but four boats. The catch under these circumstances is regarded as a good one.

COMMENCED.

This day, the Greatest CASH SALE of Boots and Shoes ever known in this city, at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium, corner Government and Johnson Sts. *

An Ill Wind, &c.

It is believed, says the Portland *Oregonian*, that the Nevada Bank crowd, Flood, Mackay, et. al.) dropped close upon $10,000,000 in the recent wheat deal at San Francisco. These men got their enormous wealth from the people by illegitimate and immoral means and there are none to mourn when they lose. In this case the distribution was among the best class of people, farmers for the most part, and they will make much better use of the money than the bonanza men.

Important.

The goods damaged by water in consequence of the fire in the Arcade building will be sold at private sale commencing on Tuesday at Spencer's Arcade. Brussels Carpets, Tapestry Carpet, Felt and Hemp Carpet, Rope Matting, Kidderminster and Three-ply Carpets, Hearthrugs, Mats.

Men's and Boys' Hats, Caps, Ties, Gloves, Shirts, Socks, Underwear; also the goods damaged by the smoke. All goods will be marked in plain figures and sold for cash only. *

Encouraging News.

The visit of the officials of the O. R. & N. Co. yesterday to this city, it is understood, was with the view of ascertaining the condition of the service as it is now being performed, and the prospects for the future. Did the traffic warrant the expense the steamers now plying to and from this city would be replaced by the Olympian and the Alaskan, both of which are in what is known in steamboat circles as the boneyard, one at Tacoma and the other in Portland. A more vigorous and aggressive policy it is said will be enforced by Mr. Holcomb and his assistants at all points along the line. Other matters relating to Victoria's trade are in incubation and of which more will shortly be heard. The party went south to-day.

In Brief and to the Point.

Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature.

The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order.

Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, bad cookery, mental worry, late hours, irregular habits, and many other things which ought not to be, have made the American people a nation of dyspeptics.

But Green's August Flower has done a wonderful work in reforming this and business and making the American people so healthy that they can enjoy their meals and be happy.

Remember! No happiness without health. But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents.

Catarrh, Catarrhal Deafness and Hay Fever!

Sufferers are not generally aware that these diseases are contagious, or that they are due to the presence of living parasites in the lining membrane of the nose and eustachian tubes. Microscopic research, however, has proved this to be a fact, and the result is that a simple remedy has been formulated whereby catarrh, catarrhal deafness and hay fever is cured in from one to three simple applications made at home. A pamphlet explaining this new treatment is sent free on receipt of stamp, by A. H. Dixon & Son, 305 King street West, Toronto, Canada.—*Christian Standard*. *

—Council meeting to-night.

—From the Albion Iron Works there was shipped to-day for a brewing firm in Vancouver a monster iron tank.

—The Northern Pacific has carried out of this city for eastern Canada so far this season 45 car loads of canned salmon.

—A fire test of "Barrie' patent building process" will take place on Saturday next the 24th inst., at 3 p. m. at the corner of Courtenay and Government streets.

—A musical and literary entertainment will be given in the Methodist Church, Gorge road, Wednesday evening; admission, 25 cents.

—Edmond Sylvester, the original townsite proprietor of Olympia, and the first white man to build a house there, died near Lake Union, Seattle, on Tuesday last, aged 67 years.

—The North Pacific brought over a heavy consignee list. Amongst others were 408 sacks of flour for Messrs. Fell & Co., an equal number for the Hudson Bay Co., and 50 barrels of whisky for Messrs. Boucherat & Co.

—The Pacific express on Sunday night when four and a half miles west of Shuswap, ran into two rocks which had fallen on the track, derailing the locomotive, tender, baggage car, colonist sleeper, and the forward truck of the first-class coach. There was nobody hurt and the only result was a little damage to the rolling stock and the blocking of the road for some hours. The mishap accounts for no mail on Monday night.

Roller Skating Rink Open Every Day.

—The farmers of the Northwest are beginning to realize that there exists in this province a market for their products. Last week Mr. William Thompson, Oak Lake, shipped two car loads of potatoes and two of oats, the former going to Golden City and the latter to Rogers' Pass. Manitoba butter and eggs are being consumed in Victoria. The margin is small between wholesale and retail prices, in consequence of the enormously heavy express charges levied.

English Window Glass, 16 oz., all sizes; also Stained and Enamelled Glass, at Muirhead and Mann's Sash and Door Factory.

Cloture.

The word is French, and means the putting an end to debate and proceeding to a vote upon a question before a deliberative body. The common use of the word in English politics arose in this way: In the autumn of 1882 Mr. Gladstone brought forward a proposition to amend the rules of procedure, so that "when it shall appear to Mr. Speaker or to the chairman of ways and means in a committee of the whole house, during any debate, that the subject has been adequately discussed, and that it is the evident sense of the house, or of the committee, that the question be now put, he may so inform the house or committee." On such information a motion may be made that the question be now put, and if this in the whole house is supported by more than 220 members, or in case of only forty in opposition, it is supported by over 100 members, that ends the debate and the question is carried. The rule was approved, and several other somewhat stringent rules were adopted at the same time, Mr. Gladstone urging them upon the plea of necessity, to avoid the delay of public business by a factious minority. It is the first of these rules that became known by the name of cloture.

The Distance of Planets.

The following table gives the distance from the sun of the planets:

	Miles.
Mercury	36,000,000
Venus	67,000,000
Earth	91,000,000
Mars	145,000,000
Asteroids	260,000,000
Jupiter	494,000,000
Saturn	908,000,000
Uranus	1,822,000,000
Neptune	2,852,000,000

It will be seen that the farthest planet from the sun is Neptune, and the nearest, Mercury. The one is invisible to the naked eye from its remoteness, the other from its contiguity. The largest is Jupiter, the smallest, Mercury, whose diameter is but a twelfth larger than the moon, while the diameter of Jupiter measures 92,000 miles, the earth's being 8,000. Those having satellites are Jupiter, 4; Saturn, 8; Uranus, 4; Neptune, 1. Venus and the earth are very near alike in size. Mars is smaller, having a diameter of about one-half of either of the other two, or one-sixth their bulk.

What is a Sonnet?

A sonnet is a poem of fourteen lines. It has been claimed that the limit to this number was originally because the sonnet was a song and sung to the accompaniment of the lyre, which had fourteen strings. It is more probable that this limitation was accidental, or an arbitrary rule which has been superseded by custom. The "legitimate" sonnet is a poem of fourteen ten syllabled lines (if with double rhymes, eleven syllabled), in noble pentameter lines, of which the first, fourth, fifth and eighth rhyme together; the second, third, sixth and seventh rhyme together; the ninth, eleventh and thirteenth rhyme together and the tenth, twelfth and fourteenth rhyme together, so that there are two rhymes in the first eight lines—the octave; and two rhymes in the last six lines—the sextet. Some critics consider if there are three rhymes in the sextet the sonnet is still legitimate. The "legitimate" sonnet was invented about 1250 by Fra Guittone d'Arezzo.

French Chamber of Deputies.

The sittings occupied by deputies in France indicate their politics, and one can grade the conservatism or radicalism of a member by his seat. On the right of the president of the chamber sit the Anti-Republicans, composed of the Bonapartists and the Legitimists; they compose the Right, and the Extreme Right is composed of the radical Bonapartists and Legitimists. The center is occupied by the Moderates; according as a deputy sits just to the right or the left of the central aisle does he belong to the Right or the Left Center. To the left of the president are the Republicans, the radicals being seated at the extreme left.

Comin' Thro' the Rye.

It is disputed whether the poet Burns meant that Jennie was kissed when coming through the tall growing rye grain or through the little stream of that name on the north west of Ayrshire. The latter of these two suppositions seems absurd. At any rate there is nothing especially captivating in the idea of a girl being kissed while wading across that obstacle; it is in the picture called up or in long association, we do see something very pretty in a young girl advancing through a field of waving grain and treated in the same fashion by her lover.

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NEW TO-DAY.

BAZAAR.

The Ladies of the R. E. Church will hold a Bazaar on the 27th September and on the Afternoon and Evening of Sept. 28, at

THE PHILHARMONIC.

NO RAFFLES.

Admission 25 cents. Open at 7 o'clock p. m. REFRESHMENTS DURING THE EVENING.

TABLEAUX.

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NOTICE.

Messrs. Rand Bros.

HAVING closed their Victoria Branch, all communications addressed to them will be attended to by the B. C. Land and Investment Company (L'd.)

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Express Wagon.

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NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

OF

Durham and Holstein Cattle.

AN ERROR appears in the British Columbia Agricultural Association Pamphlets which places Durhams and Holstein Cattle in the same class. I am instructed to inform the public that the Durhams and Holsteins will form two separate classes. Each class will receive the same amount of prize money.

Persons who require accommodation at the Exhibition will do well to notify the Chairman of the Accommodation Committee, J. C. Haynes, Esq.

GEO. W. CHADSEY,
Secretary B. C. Agricultural Association.
sep19 2w

NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that notwithstanding the earnest solicitation of Kwong On Tai & Co., requesting me to resume my former position as Manager for their firm, I have refused, my lines having been cast in more pleasant places, and therefore the notice given by that firm on the 3rd inst. to the effect that I am once more in their employ is untrue and without foundation.

L. HONG KOW.

Victoria, Sept. 9, 1887. sep9

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

TO ARCHITECTS.

DESIGNS, PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS are invited for the above building in accordance with memorandum of particulars, copies of which, together with contour plans of the site, may be obtained on application to the undersigned. A premium of $300 will be paid for whichever design and plans, if any, may be adopted. Such design, plans and specifications to become the property of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital Building Committee.

Plans for the building to be addressed, in sealed envelope, to the undersigned, and to be handed to him by or before noon of 7th December next.

WILLIAM H. CHUDLEY,
Wharf street, Victoria, Hon. Secretary.
13th Sept., 1887. sep16

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ASSESSMENT No. 16.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an assessment of one cent per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the Company's Office, Langley Street, Victoria, on or before the 5th day of October, inst., from and after which date all shares upon which the said assessment shall then remain unpaid shall be deemed delinquent, subject to the usual rules, and will be dealt with accordingly.

Dated this 15th September, 1887.

By order of the Directors,

GEO. A. SAUNDERS,
Secretary.
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